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### **Freedom of Information Act 2000**

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to Immune thrombocytopenia (ITP).

*You asked:*

*Q1. How many patients has your trust treated (for any disease) in the last 6 months (or the latest 6 months data you have available) with the following treatments:*

- a. Revolade (eltrombopag)*
- b. Nplate (romiplostim)*
- c. Doptelet (avatrombopag)*
- d. Tavlesse (fostamatinib)*

*Q2. In the last 6 months (or the latest 6 months data you have available), how many patients has your trust treated for immune thrombocytopenia (ITP)?*

*Q3. Of the patients treated for immune thrombocytopenia (ITP) in the last 6 months (or the latest 6 months data you have available), how many were treated with:*

- a. rituximab*
- b. mycophenolate mofetil*
- c. surgery (splenectomy)*

*Q4. Does your trust participate in any ongoing clinical trials for immune thrombocytopenia (ITP)? If so, can you please provide the name of each trial along with the number of patients taking part?*

Trust response:

- Q1.
- a. 44
- b. 17
- c. 0

d. 0

Q2.

ICD-10 Code in either Primary or secondary	No. of patients from 1 April 2022 30 September 2022
D69.3	55
D69.5	12

Q3. Please note:

- The numbers are patients with the ICD-10 codes, who have had one of the items dispensed. We cannot 100% guarantee it was prescribed for that ICD-10 code.
- If a patient has a duplicate hospital number on the pharmacy reporting system then they may be missed. For example - a patient may have both main hospital and Kent Oncology Centre numbers.

a. 7

b. 1

c. It may be possible that this information has been entered into a patients record but in order to confirm this each patient record would need to be manually checked by a clinical staff member. The Trust has estimated that it will cost more than the appropriate limit to consider this part of your request. The appropriate limit is specified in regulations and represents the estimated cost of one person spending 3½ working days in determining whether the Trust holds the information, locating, retrieving and extracting the information. Under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 the Trust is not obliged to comply with this part of your request and we will not be processing this part of your request further.

Q4. We do not have any ITP trials running at the moment.